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Applicant : Robert Everett Parkhill et al
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Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
U.S.A.

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
EXPEDITED PROCESSING
REQUESTED**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of August 22, 2007, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a Statement of the Substance of an Examiner Interview conducted on December 13, 2007 is attached following page 10 of this paper.